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We are a loving community called by God's grace -- that all know the Peace of God.



Ninth Sunday after Pentecost – August 2, 2020



August Prayers for thanksgiving for God's mercy and grace -

August 2nd: Keep us strong thru trial, dear Savior, as I await joy in Heaven. Amen



Face masks and hand sanitizer are available at all entrances. You are encouraged to use them for your safety and ours! So, please while you are with us, be considerate of others. Thank you!

Peace Reopening Plan Update

- Peace Lutheran Church campus is now allowing PLC Board Meetings, limited to 50% capacity of the room you are using.
- **We ask that you schedule your meeting with the church office prior (320)587-3031** so we have the area sanitized for you.
- No food/drink allowed at this time. Please continue to follow the Social Distancing Safety measures posted.

We've Have You Covered!

Face masks are encouraged when we are out in public to help protect everyone and stop the spread of the coronavirus. **Masks are available for the asking.**

If you need one, please call Shirley at 587-5064 or Mary a 587-5837.

A supply of masks is also available on the bulletin board in the Narthex of the church. Please take one and wear it when in public. Thank you for doing your part! Stay Safe and healthy, Parish Health



Due to the uncertainty regarding guidelines and restrictions at this time, we will be delaying the August/September Messenger. Please expect your Messenger around mid-August.

January 1 to July 31, 2020 Financial Report		
	Operating Budget	TTNG
Offerings needed Year to Date	\$423,122.00	\$123,083.38
Offerings received Year to Date	\$393,206.18	\$132,912.71
Total over/short for Year to Date	-\$29,915.82	\$9,829.33

TODAY - Youth Overstock Sale TODAY Sunday, August 2nd

After both services on August 2nd, there will be food items for sale. A 10 lb. bag of frozen fish from the Fish Fry is \$5.00. A bag of 12 assorted chocolate candy bars is \$5.00.

Help Welcome Shannon, the new youth director!

Write a welcome message to Shannon on the triangle-shaped flag. There will be flags available on the commons area desk. There is also a box in the church lobby where you can put your finished flag. Please hand it in by July 29th. The flags will be assembled into a welcome banner that will be hung above the church ramp.

The family of Paul Berg would love hearing of the many stories people have of Paul over the years. If you would be so kind, write your story and bring it to the church office. We will collect them in a large envelope and send them on to the family. Thank you for sharing.

Peace Lutheran Congregation:

Hutchinson High School seniors Leah Pollmann and Landon Butler Cole are working on a community project to help those in need with clothing. Their mission is to collect gently used clothing through drop-boxes throughout the community, especially during the COVID-19 pandemic. There currently is a high unemployment rate and this project would like to help those in need of clothing for employment. The box will be out and ready to go in the commons area this August.

The new church software is completed. If you have any changes in address, phone, or email please contact the church office. If you wish to be taken off the Messenger mailing list and/or added to the digital Messenger list, please also contact the church office.

Diaper Drive

Peace Lutheran is collecting diapers for distribution in August for Common Cup. 80-90 packages are given each month. All sizes, but bigger sizes are needed the most. Please place donations in the Common Cup Cart in the Commons area.

Back to School

Would you like to donate schools supplies for the coming year? The schools are collecting **hand sanitizer**, **paper towels**, and **Kleenex** (facial tissue). Donations can be dropped off in the Commons area cart. Many thanks for your donations!

Operation Christmas Child

Peace Lutheran Church will be participating in **Operation Christmas Child** again this year. This program collects shoeboxes filled with gifts and delivers them to children in need around the world. Every one of these shoebox gifts is an opportunity for the Gospel. You can be a part of this worldwide effort to grow the Kingdom of God even in places where the Gospel has never been heard by donating toys such as a doll, soccer ball and pump, a stuffed animal, fun toys, hygiene items (no gels or liquids), school supplies, wash clothes, finger towels, and soap. Donations of \$9.00 can also be given to send a box. Most importantly, pray for the child who will receive these gifts. Drop your items off in the green box in the commons area or in the office. Packing will be done in early November.

Worship Attendance Last Week

Sunday, July 19th, 2020: Sanctuary = 69, Live Stream = 93, Facebook = 322, Drive-In = 110 **Total = 594**

Please Pray for Peace Members:

Diane Born, Audrey Knacke, Ronney Wendlandt, Joan Bradley, Sue Moritz, Barb Ribar, Linda Rost, Dale Sturges, Elaine Lewerenz, Judy Prieve, Roger Lambert, Rita Janke, Lori West, Pastor Hannemann, Lucille Smith, William Settergren, Jim Berg, Naomi Meier, Scott Hilgemann, Derek Markgraf, Sylvia Radtke, Warren Macemon, Cyndy Schmidt, Don Hecht, Waldemar Grussing, Melissa Wanous, Mavis Muckala, Hildegard Wagner, Michelle Robinson, Melva Plath, Susan Homan, Jason Miller

***Please watch the Peace Lutheran Church web page and Facebook page for update**



August Prayer Calendar

1. My flesh and my heart may fail, but God is the strength of my heart and my portion forever. Psalm 73:26
2. Lord, help me to work faithfully to honor you in all that I do.
3. Thank you Lord for walking beside me today with your loving presence to help me be brave and strong.
4. Lord help me to realize there is a peace that can be found in listening to the quiet of your love.
5. If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at Peace with everyone. Romans 12:18.
6. Thank you God for realizing the time we spend with you reaps benefits that last a lifetime.
7. Lord, help us to remember that whether we eat or drink or whatever we do, do it all for the glory of God.
8. Lord, help us to realize many problems would cease to exist if we could learn to listen as well as we speak.
9. Lord, help me to remember suffering produces perseverance, perseverance, Character, and character hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God has poured out his love into our hearts. Romans 5:3-5
10. Lord, help me to live in accordance with the Spirit, so I will have my mind set on what the Spirit desires.
11. Lord, help me not to become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up. Galatians 6:9
12. Lord, give me a faithful heart that sees its commitments not as millstones, but as anchors. James 2:26
13. Lord, help me to be quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to become angry, so that your will leaves me no time for disputing about your plans. James 1:19.
14. In his heart a man plans his course but the Lord determines his steps Proverbs 16:9
15. Lord, help me to remember I can do everything through you who gives me strength. Phil:4:13
16. Lord, help me to live by faith in the son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me. Galatians 2:20
17. Pray for our staff at Peace as they nourish our souls each week. Pray for physical health and spiritual wealth.
18. Thank you heavenly father for humbling yourself by sending Jesus to live with an earthly family so that one day we may join a heavenly family.
19. Lord, thank you for the peace that comes in knowing we are doing our best with what God has given us to use.
20. Lord, comfort the hearts with love and peace to families who have lost loved ones this year.
21. The people rejoiced for they had given freely and wholeheartedly to the Lord. 1 Chronicles 29:9.
22. Lord, thank you for the beauty of your creation. The heavens declare the Glory of God; the skies proclaim the work of his hands. Psalm 19:1-2.
23. Lord, we pray for an effective vaccination for the covid 19 virus that has spread throughout the world.
24. Pray that our schools will be able to open this fall. Pray for ways the Lord will help this accomplishment.
25. Show me your ways, O Lord, teach me your path, guide me in your truth and teach me, my hope is in you.
26. Lord, thank you for faith that is being sure of what we hope for and certain of what we do not see. Hebrew:11.1
27. Lord thank you for forgiveness of all my sins of word and deed.
28. Lord, please remind me to be ever grateful for your gifts and ever dependent upon your strength in all my endeavors.
29. Pray for peace within our nation; that we will not judge others by the color of their skin. The Lord loves all.
30. Pray our freedom to pray and worship will never be taken away from us.
31. "O Lord, truly I am your servant; you have freed me from my chains. Psalm 116:16.

